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Alabama hatcheries set 28.3 million broiler-type eggs during the week ending March 24, a slight decrease from a week ago.

Broiler-type chicks placed for meat production in **Alabama** were 23.8 million, a slight increase from the previous week.

Chicks hatched were 19.6 million, including 4.8 million placed in other states and used for breeder replacements or destroyed.

The hatching rate for the state was 85 percent.

Broiler-Type Eggs Set – 19 Selected States: 2011-2012

State	Week ending					
	Feb 18, 2012	Feb 25, 2012	Mar 3, 2012	Mar 10, 2012	Mar 17, 2012	Mar 24, 2012
			1,000 Eggs			
Alabama	27,624	27,970	27,989	27,476	28,259	28,251
Arkansas	19,499	20,142	20,977	21,148	20,142	20,771
Delaware	3,191	3,190	3,191	3,303	3,415	3,388
Florida	1,243	1,353	1,350	1,350	1,351	1,348
Georgia	32,222	32,143	32,150	32,374	32,236	31,890
Kentucky	7,571	6,361	7,733	7,841	7,805	7,538
Louisiana	3,424	3,379	3,470	3,440	3,470	3,440
Maryland	7,067	7,204	7,212	7,674	7,678	7,192
Mississippi	17,663	17,814	17,799	17,682	17,784	17,907
Missouri	7,807	7,654	7,840	7,648	7,482	7,657
North Carolina	20,336	20,313	20,397	20,342	19,957	20,031
Oklahoma	6,768	6,688	6,930	6,930	6,365	6,728
Pennsylvania	3,497	3,714	3,763	3,838	3,859	3,731
South Carolina	5,404	5,296	5,291	5,472	5,118	5,448
Texas	15,011	14,868	14,732	14,994	15,077	14,943
Virginia	5,963	6,168	5,947	6,207	6,273	6,047
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,373	10,998	10,909	11,010	11,299	10,645
19 State total	194,663	195,255	197,680	198,729	197,570	196,955
Previous year total	207,150	206,633	208,530	207,787	208,563	209,382
Percent of previous year	96	94	95	95	95	94

Broiler-Type Eggs Placed – 19 Selected States: 2011-2012

State	Week ending					
	Feb 18, 2012	Feb 25, 2012	Mar 3, 2012	Mar 10, 2012	Mar 17, 2012	Mar 24, 2012
			1,000 Eggs			
Alabama	21,845	18,833	18,749	19,382	20,106	19,610
Arkansas	19,111	19,144	19,498	18,611	19,004	20,043
Delaware	4,404	3,440	4,117	3,910	3,901	3,943
Florida	1,062	1,073	1,454	1,174	1,407	1,217
Georgia	25,271	27,877	27,520	28,332	27,862	27,284
Kentucky	6,008	5,662	6,562	6,595	4,894	6,531
Louisiana	3,068	3,092	3,091	3,022	2,983	3,032
Maryland	5,959	6,751	5,778	6,441	6,110	5,927
Mississippi	15,227	15,317	15,599	15,328	15,447	15,217
Missouri	5,674	4,612	5,566	6,020	5,325	5,245
North Carolina	15,418	15,820	15,856	15,816	16,753	16,294
Oklahoma	4,003	5,026	4,125	4,014	4,605	4,533
Pennsylvania	3,159	3,045	2,894	2,870	3,117	3,198
South Carolina	4,971	4,197	4,523	4,230	3,646	4,696
Texas	11,949	11,972	12,466	12,321	12,197	12,117
Virginia	4,096	4,547	5,368	4,739	4,784	5,365
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,057	10,137	10,181	9,900	10,824	10,257
19 State total	161,282	160,545	163,347	162,705	162,965	164,509
Previous year total	167,473	168,805	167,792	170,434	170,587	173,852
Percent of previous year	96	95	97	95	96	95